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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Katsushi NIHEI

Title:

MOBILE TURRET SYSTEM

Application No.:

09/673,647

Filing Date:

10/31/2000

Examiner:

R. Perez-Guitierrez

Art Unit:

2686

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1.	Submission	<u>required</u>	under 37	C.F.R.	<u>§1.114</u> :	(check items th	at apply)
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a.	Previously submitted:
[X]	Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on October 12, 2004.
[]	Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on but not considered.
[]	Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on
	
b.	Enclosed are:
[]	Amendment/Reply.
[]	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
[]	Information Disclosure Statement.
[]	Form PTO-1449 with copies of listed reference(s).
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Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R.

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§ 1.103(c) for a period of __ months.

01 FC:1801

02 FC:1252 WASH_1496551.1 The filing fee is calculated below:

-	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):							\$790.00	= _	\$790.00
Total Claims:	12	-	20	=	0	x	\$50.00	= _	\$0.00
Independents	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$200.00	= _	\$0.00
-	Fir	st presenta	tion of any Multi	ple Depe	ndent Claims:	+	\$360.00	= _	\$0.00
		•				CLAIM	S FEE TOTAL:	= _	\$790.00

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total [X]number of months checked below:

[] Extension for response filed within the first month: \$120.00 0
Extension for response filed within the third month: S1,020.00 Extension for response filed within the fourth month: S1,590.00 Extension for response filed within the fifth month: EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL: EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -
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[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2,160.00 EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL: EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -
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CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):
Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)
TOTAL FEE:

- 1 Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$1120.00. A duplicate copy of ſ this transmittal is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$1120.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed. [X]
- [X]The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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